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August 30, 2005

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10529291 in the amount of \$470.00 has been denied .

Small entity status fee not refundable. The time has expired for the refund of this fee. A refund based on establishment of small entity status may only be obtained if a verified statement under 37 CFR 1.27 and a request for the refund of excess amount are filed within three months of timely payment of the full fee (37 CFR 1.28).

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## AND REQUEST FOR REFUND

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant claims small entity status and requests a refund of one-half of the U.S. National Phase Entry fee paid on March 25, 2005. The three month deadline for a request for a refund was missed inadvertently by one business day, and we are correcting that oversight herein

Please determine the correct amount of the fee and refund the excess by crediting the overpayment to Account No. 02-2135.

without delay. We therefore respectfully request your favorable consideration of our request.

Respectfully submitted.

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